Kentucky Board of Dentistry

Job Posting for In-house Counsel

KRS Chapter 313 creates the Kentucky Board of Dentistry and charges the Board with regulating the profession of dentistry as well as protecting the public in matters related to dentistry. As part of protecting the public, the Board investigates public complaints against dentists, dental hygienists, and other individuals regulated by the Chapter and proceeds to take appropriate disciplinary action against licensees as necessary. All disciplinary actions by the Board are conducted in the form of administrative hearings in accordance with the provisions of KRS Chapter 13 B.

The Board is currently provided legal counsel through the Office of the Attorney General but is seeking to hire in-house counsel for all of its legal services. KRS 313.225 states, "The Board may employ and appoint persons, acting under the authority and direction of the Board, to make investigations and report to the Board from time to time with respect to any violation and provision of KRS Chapter 313." KRS 313.220 (3) provides that "the Board may employee attorneys to advise and assist it in the enforcing this chapter, and pay them a reasonable compensation for such work."

Individuals interested in applying for the position of General Counsel I for the Kentucky Board of Dentistry should submit the following to the Kentucky Board of Dentistry by June 7, 2010.

- A resume which includes all educational experience, previous work experience to include at least five (5) years experience in administrative law, related legal assignments, and at least three (3) references;
- Proof of having been admitted to practice law in Kentucky from the Kentucky Bar Association; and
- 3. Proof of being a resident of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

All applicants must meet the requirements of the Commonwealth of Kentucky Class specification for the position of General Counsel I.

All candidates must understand this is a full-time non-merit position with the Kentucky Board of Dentistry. The Board will conduct interviews with individuals they deem fit for the position to fully determine their qualifications for further consideration. Discussions shall not disclose any information derived from proposals submitted by other candidates.

Resumes will be accepted through June 7, 2010.

Please submit your resume to: Kentucky Board of Dentistry 312 Whittington Parkway Suite 101 Louisville, Kentucky 40222